

X1 Media City, Manchester



Located in the thriving Manchester Media City district, X1 Media City will be the largest residential development in the North West and is set to dominate the Salford Quays skyline. The development includes four iconic residential towers, which will boast a mix of studios, 1, 2 and 3 bedroom apartments. Space is allocated on the first and second floor for commercial and retail units.

This landmark development will add £1.4 billion of public and private investment to the area and help support growth in the North West. Companies within the district, which include BBC and ITV, will also benefit from residential accommodation for their staff.

Uponor involvement

HE Simm requested Multi-Layer Composite Pipe (MLCP) for supplying hot and cold water in each apartment. To control individual appliances, “L” manifolds were specified within each block.

HE Simm have already installed MLCP and “L” manifolds in 275 apartments within block 1 of the development.

Project Information

Address

Media City,
Michigan Avenue,
Salford Quays,
Salford,
Greater Manchester,
M50 2GY

Project Type

Commercial and
Residential

Building Type

New Build

Project synopsis

1036 Apartments over 4
tower buildings. This will
include retail at ground
floor level, cinema & gym.

Applications

MLCP and “L” Manifolds

Uponor's MLCP solution provides enhanced durability in the long run



The Benefits

Through specifying MLCP, the client will benefit from reduced heat-expansion and a hygienic supply of tap water. The aluminium core within MLCP will also prevent oxygen ingress. To accommodate the clients changing needs, the Uponor "L" Manifold is fully customisable.

With the support of HE Simm, a complete service from installing the solution to delivering customer support after the installation was provided.

Indeed, Uponor's customer service is paramount to its continued success.

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